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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

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C O N F I D E N T I A L KUALA LUMPUR 1335

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, VN, MY

SUBJECT: GOM ESTABLISHES TIES WITH DRV

REF: STATE 057171

1. MFA OFFICIAL MAR 30 INFORMED EMBOFF THAT STATEMENT (IDENTICAL TO ONE CONTAINED IN REFTEL) ANNOUNCING ESTABLISHMENT RELATIONS BETWEEN GOM AND DRV WILL BE MADE SIMULTANEOUSLY AT 1900 HOURS (LOCAL TIME) TODAY IN HANOI AND KUALA LUMPUR.

2. ASKED ABOUT REASON FOR DELAY IN FINALIZING TERMS, OFFICIAL SAID IT INVOLVED QUIBBLING OVER TEXT OF ANNOUNCEMENT. NORTH VIETNAMESE ORIGINALLY PROPOSED A SIMPLE DECLARATIVE STATEMENT, BUT GOM PRESSED FOR INCLUSION PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE , MUTUAL RESPECT FOR TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY
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AND NON- INTERFERENCE IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS. HANOI, APPARENTLY WAS PARTICULARLY RESISTENT TO INCLUSION OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE, WHICH THE MALAYSIANS BELIEVE MAY HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH DRV DESIRE TO AVOID BECOMING INVOLVED IN SINO-SOVIET IDEOLOGICAL DEBATE. THE STATEMENT REVEALS THAT GOM GOT MOST OF WHAT IT WANTED.

3. ACCORDING TO OFFICIAL, DRV OFFERED NO OBJECTION WHEN TOLD THAT GOM EXPECTED TO MAINTAIN AMBASSADORIAL LEVEL RELATIONS WITH SAIGON.

4. MFA OFFICIAL CONCLUDED THAT TECHNICAL ARRANGEMENTS SUCH AS SIZE OF MISSIONS, ETC., HAVE NOT BEEN AGREED UPON AND IT, THEREFORE, MIGHT BE SOME TIME BEFORE RESIDENT MISSIONS ARE EXCHANGED.
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